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LONDON, LAUREL COUNTY.

—Twenty applicants for pensions were examined here Wednesday and Thursday. A fat thing for the doctors. —Alexander Boltan, of this county, received a voucher the other day for \$1,200. Laurel gets her share of the pension money. —Revs. Medaris and Steeley closed their two weeks' meeting at Pittsburg Sunday. They organized a church there with 60 members. —A negro was run over by the south-bound passenger train Wednesday morning south of Williamsburg, and his head was severed from his body. —Two school children were bitten by a supposed mad dog at the Union school-house, three miles south of here Friday. The dog was immediately killed. —W. H. Nelson, who shot and slightly wounded Tom Hodge, Jr., at Lily, a few weeks ago, was tried Saturday and acquitted, the proof showing that he acted in self-defense. —William Owens, mineral inspector, has found coal on Cane Creek, this county, 48 inches thick without any seam, and from 5 to 6 feet thick with "partings." This is undoubtedly the finest coal in the State. —The colored preacher, Sharp, who was stabbed to death at Lebanon Wednesday night, was pastor of the colored M. E. church here. He was killed by a negro named Siler, of Williamsburg, for being too intimate with his wife. —John Nelson, of East Bernstadt, was badly hurt at Pittsburg Saturday evening. He attempted to get on a freight train while in motion and was thrown under the wheels and one of his legs so badly mashed that amputation was necessary. —Rev. J. C. Gill and wife, who moved to Louisville about two years ago, have returned and will make London their future home. Mr. Gill is in very bad health. Mrs. A. R. Dyche has been sick for several days, threatened with fever. Little Bill Harman has malarial fever and Mrs. Sue Farris is very low with typhoid fever. Miss Mattie Sawyer is also very low with consumption.

The Cheapest of the Season.

On Thursday, August 8th, there will be a grand excursion to the celebrated Kanawha Falls, W. Va., from all stations between Lexington and Ashland, Ky., at the extremely low rate of \$5 for the round trip. Tickets will be good on train leaving Lexington at 7:30 A. M., and arriving at the Falls at 6 P. M., making an enjoyable daylight ride through some of the grandest scenery in the country, and good to return if used on or before August 23, '89. Tickets can be had at stations on this line. We have arranged with the hotel company for the low rate of \$5 per week for staying a week or more, and \$1.00 per day for parties staying less than a week. This is undoubtedly the cheapest trip of the season. Fine fishing, hunting, boating and bathing. The hotel is situated on the river bank and has elegant boat and bath-houses attached. Do not fail to take advantage of this. It will be worth double the money. For full information call on any agent of the N. & M. V. Co. E. H. J. L. Murphy, G. P. A.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

A private note from Bro. J. H. Woodcock says: —Nothing in the way of news here. Mrs. Dr. Elkin is still better this morning and everything indicates sure recovery. Election very quiet at 10 o'clock. But few people in town. Chas. Anderson, of color, who came out against Berkeley and afterwards withdrew is out again this morning for the legislature. His own race is not voting freely for him. My health standard is about as it has been for several weeks. I am still confident that the Lord will pull me through.

Too Awful for Contemplation.

In all the annals of warfare and destruction there is no record of death so appalling, in proportion to the number of combatants engaged, as the death list of the famous "Six Hundred" that charged at Gettysburg. Two hundred and forty men fell on the field; about 700 have died at different times and places since; of the survivors about one a week dies in the United States; every day or two a new tramp confesses to being one of them, and if something isn't done to stop it the death list of that gallant band will soon reach into the thousands. Nothing saves the organization from utter destruction but the wonderful recuperative powers of the survivors, who are increasing in numbers while retaining unimpaired the same age. —Harbette.

He—"And you are sure that I am the first and only man who ever kissed you?" She—"Of course I am sure. You do not doubt my word, do you?" He—"Of course I do not doubt you, my darling. I love you too madly, too devotedly for that. But why, oh, why did you reach for the reins the very instant I ventured to put one arm around you if you had never been there before?" —Terra Haute Express.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Capt. B. F. Powell sold to Jno. Johnson 25 hogs at 4 cts. —Fifty breeding ewes and 300 bushels seed rye for sale. Jones Bros. —One-fourth of the Virginia wheat crop has been ruined by heavy rains. —W. R. Hill sold to C. M. Jones, of Rockcastle, 3 2-year-old mules at \$110. —S. J. Pulliam sold to Prof. J. M. Hubbard a 4-year-old bay gelding for \$150. —H. S. Prewitt bought of John Buchanan 12 head 2 and 3-year-old cattle at 2 1/2 to 3 cts. —William & George Abraham bought of S. J. Embury 50 extra good ewes at \$5.50 per head. —Terhune, of Mercer, bought of Scott Hudson an extra fine 3-year-old mare mare for \$245. —James Patterson, of Bourbon, bought of Robert Land three broodmares at \$90, \$105 and \$120. —W. L. Goode bought of Casey county parties 22 head of yearling steers and heifers at \$9 to \$11.50. —Givens & Carter sold 250 of the ewes advertised in this paper to the McCormack Bros. at \$3.50. —The pacer, Johnson, beat Maud S.'s record of 2:05 1/2 at Cleveland Saturday, doing his mile in 2:05 1/2. —The Texas cotton crop is estimated at 2,000,000 bales. At low prices the crop will be worth \$84,000,000. —Grapes, corn and tobacco are said to have been somewhat injured by frost in the vicinity of Paducah, Ill., last week. —T. H. Davis, of Clarksville, Mo., who married the same woman three times, assaulted his mother-in-law and was shot dead by his brother-in-law, Thomas Vaughn. —The receipts of leaf tobacco in the Cincinnati market last week were the largest of Burley tobacco ever received by any market in the world, being 3,076 hogheads. —The Richmond, Va., city railway stables were struck by lightning and burned. Sixty mules and horses, together with seven street cars, were consumed. The loss was heavy. —John B. Dickinson tried some of the Charles Downing Irish potatoes this season and found them earlier than the Early Rose and the smoothest and prettiest tuber we have seen. —Tate & Catron have bought 14 head of mules, ranging in price from \$110 to \$150 each. They bought 150 head of sheep at \$3 and sold 14 mules to the Stone Hines Lumber Co. for \$2,100. —Somerset Reporter. —Henry L. Martin purchased of Jas. Blugrave 60 acres of land lying near Offutt's Cross Roads, at \$100 per acre. This land is considered as fertile and good as any in the county. Capt. P. F. Kidd sold 100 barrels of corn at \$2 per barrel. —Midway Clipper. —Only the trotting horse that is booked for an effort this year to beat the time of Maud S. made a handsome showing in an exhibition that at Cleveland last week. The last quarter was within a quarter of a second as fast as the first quarter and the mile was completed in 2:10 1/2. —That was a great mile race at the Harrodsburg Fair. The entries were Judge Sharp, Henry Watterson, Tariff Reform and D. G. Colson. Judge Sharp won in two straight heats. Watterson was second, Tariff Reform was a poor third and Colson got to bucking and was distanced. —Pence, Pence & Farris' fine stallion, did himself and owners proud at the Harrodsburg Fair. He wore the blue tie in every ring he showed in and trotted 4th in the 2:35 class on Thursday, when there were 6 fine starters. He was second favorite and would have won second money, possibly first, had he not made a late season, which took from him the work necessary to bring him down. The two 2-year-olds belonging to Pence & Farris were two "slick" ties and were considered by competent judges to be very promising youngsters. Farris' sandalwood bay mare was shown in the model 3-year-old ring and also took the blue.

The flannel shirt has been making a triumphal progress this summer, but still it is not universally popular. Thus, a writer of the Rochester Herald says concerning it: "When it is brought home the proud husband and father dons it and goes forth to defy the sweltering heat of a July day. The next week it is washed and then it is just about the size for the twelve-year-old son. Another week rolls round and it is just a fit for the baby. The fourth week it descends to Betsy's doll and the fifth week it vanishes altogether; disappears mysteriously. It was seen to go into the wash tub and that was the last of it."

A Tennessee editor gives this account of the difficulties under which he labors: "How is it that our readers expect us out here, 12 miles from a railroad, 25 miles from a river, 25 miles from a city, millions of miles from heaven, about two miles from the devil and only 200 yards from a whiskey shop, to get out a new, lively and interesting paper?"

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DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—Boyle county captured a goodly number of prizes at the Harrodsburg fair last week. —Miss Annie, the oldest daughter of Mr. W. A. Harless, was married to Mr. Jos. Brown, a prosperous young farmer of Mercer county, at 2 o'clock Wednesday by Rev. E. M. Green. Quite a number of relatives of the contracting parties were present. —Mrs. Granville Cecil has been seriously ill for several days. Mr. G. J. Caldwell, formerly of the firm of Caldwell & Eastland and now a commercial tourist, visited his parents last week. Mr. Thomas Gibbons left last week for a visit to Montreal and Toronto, Canada. Miss Mattie Duke, after an absence of several weeks, spent in visiting, is at home again. —The examining trial of Beatty Wickliffe, charged with the murder of Evan S. Warren began before county Judge Lee on Saturday and at 4 o'clock P. M. not being concluded was continued until Tuesday at 10 o'clock. Ben Lee Hardin, for the defense, was reinforced by Messrs. George Deany and J. H. Nellums, of Lexington. In addition to the attorneys named heretofore, Capt. P. B. Thompson, of Harrodsburg, appeared for the prosecution. Nine witnesses have been examined and the testimony thus far equals what was expected by the prosecution.

DRIPPING SPRINGS.

—Many of our guests who have been here all season will go home this week, which will leave some of our very best rooms vacant. Already more than 25 persons have written that they will arrive on next Friday and Saturday. On Saturday, August 10th, we will set an elegant dinner and supper and give the grandest ball of the season in honor of the correspondents of the Lancaster News, who will meet here that day. The ball will continue until near midnight and as the moon will be full, all who wish can go home by the moonlight after the dance is over. A great many have written that they will arrive during the week, and with anything like favorable weather our house will be crowded during the month of August. Our crowd has not been large this season, but perhaps the more pleasant on that account, the average number being between 30 and 50 persons. Professor Bush, the dancing master, will remain during August and perhaps September. If you want to have a good time come to Dripping Springs. Respt. B. G. SLAUGHTER.

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—Clark Young, of Lincoln county, and Mrs. Nettie Wesley were married at the residence of Mrs. Copenhaver, Tuesday, July 23. —Somerset Reporter. —A. J. Singleton, a widower of 24, and Mrs. Martha Susan Singleton, three times a widow and just 31, were united in marriage at David Harris', near Highland, Saturday. —Ten thousand unmarried females of Boston will respond to the call for wives in Washington Territory and Tacoma and go thence to try their fortunes in the matrimonial lottery. —The marriage of Mr. John Cunningham, of Bourbon, a wealthy farmer of 40 and Miss Lavinia Cunningham, a handsome widow, of Richmond, half that old, was the social event of last week at the latter place.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—There are in the United States 101,824 Sabbath-schools, 3,315,431 Sabbath-school scholars, 1,100,104 teachers, total 3,455,565. —The Pope has the most valuable Bible in the world. It is in Hebrew, weighs 325 pounds and is only carried by three men. Pope Julian in 1512 refused \$125,000 for this Bible. —Rev. E. C. Medaris, who has been holding a protracted meeting at Pittsburg, Ky., has organized a Baptist church here with 25 members and received 22 new converts. —Jellio News. —Bro. Barnes came up to the Parks Hill Camp Thursday and was so pleased with the delightful company, the sweet music and Bro. Jones' peculiar sermons that he at once rented a cottage and telegraphed Miss Marie and the Misses Bright, of Winchester, whose guest she is, to come at once. —Paris Kentuckian. —The Methodist Episcopal church South has now 1,100,097 members, including 4,958 Indians and 615 negroes. The net increase for the year was 32,641. There are 4,687 traveling and 6,383 local preachers. Baptisms: adults 62,363; infants 31,052. There are 11,132 churches, valued at \$16,040,354, and 2,358 parsonages, valued at \$2,765,404.

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MT. VERNON, ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

—Pate Langford fired off his pistol twice near the depot Friday evening. Constable Proctor led him down to the court-house to repent of the error of his ways. —A preliminary survey is being made from Orlando, this county, up Brush creek, a distance of 10 miles, by a coal company to reach immense coal beds. It is probable that a railroad will be built at an early date. —Milton J. Durham made one of the best speeches of the campaign here Saturday to a large and enthusiastic audience. Though somewhat hoarse in his delivery his words were received with cheer after cheer. R. L. Ewell was on hand with his usual speech and raised some applause on the republican side. George Farris gave the boys a neat speech showing them that he had a fair chance of being elected to the legislature. —This morning at 8 o'clock Andy Baker and Wade Purcell got into a difficult over floater and came to blows. John Proctor, who was lately appointed constable in this precinct, came up and demanded peace or he would arrest them. Purcell drew his pistol and just as he fired Proctor dropped to the ground receiving a bullet in the back of his neck ranging downward. Proctor rose and fired at Purcell, the ball passing through his bowels and at this hour, 10:30 A. M., is in a critical condition. Proctor is thought to be dangerously wounded. Excitement ran high for a time, but things have quieted down. Proctor is under arrest. In this hurried report we may have missed some of the facts in the case.

A new process of butter-making, which has just been discovered in Australia, is attracting considerable attention in that colony. The new process obtains butter without churning. Air is passed thro' the cream and the effect of this is to create certain chemical changes which separate the globules of butter fat from the casein and thus produce butter. By this means it is claimed that the best quality of butter can be produced from cream which is tainted by strong fodder, or soured by being kept too long. The air is introduced into the cream in the churn through an intermediate vessel, in which is stored water and a harmless solution, which purifies the air and otherwise renders it suitable for producing the desired effect upon the cream. The air pipes open into the churn near the bottom and a slight bubbling effect is produced. Gases of various kinds are driven out and in the course of time small granules of butter are formed. The butter runs to the top of the churn and the buttermilk is run off from a tap at the bottom. The process lasts from 20 minutes to 40 or 60 minutes, according to the condition of the cream and other circumstances. Experiments on a small scale have been made and prove clearly that butter can be made from this system.

Miss Jennie Slack, aged 16 years, residing in the Blue-grass region of Iowa, near Villison, has this season planted and cultivated 15 acres of corn, best looking six weeks night and morning, and helping in other work about the farm and household. The corn is in splendid condition for a big crop and the young lady who raised it is said to be fine-looking and intelligent and none the worse for the hard work she has done for her invalid father, who was unable to pay a hired man or do it himself. Such girls make good helpmeets for worthy and industrious young men.

The largest diamond in the world is now at the Paris Exposition. The Prince of Wales recently christened it the "Imperial." It was found in South Africa in 1885 and was taken at once to Amsterdam, where it was being cut and polished for a year and a half. The "Regent" formerly the largest known diamond, weighs 136 carats and is valued at 12,000,000 francs. The "Imperial" weighs 180 carats and is valued at from 15,000,000 to 17,000,000 francs.

A sea turtle 10 feet long, 5 feet wide and weighing 1,000 pounds was caught recently in a trap of South Harwich, Cape Cod. This monster is estimated to be fully 200 years old. As it stands the distance between its fore flippers is over ten feet.

There is said to be a fourth cousin of President Harrison living in Virginia, who has not received an office, but the rumor has not been verified. —Epoch.

By actual test it has been found that to run a locomotive under ordinary conditions costs 17.37 cents a mile.

The Pride of Woman.

A clear, pure and transparent skin is always a sign of pure blood, and all persons troubled with dark, greasy, yellow or blotched skin can rest assured that their blood is out of order. A few doses of Beegs' Blood Purifier & Blood Maker will remove the cause and the skin will become clear and transparent. Try it, and if satisfaction is not given it will cost you nothing. It is fully warranted. A. R. Penny Druggist.

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ESTRAY.

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